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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GOSS submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

Instructing the Committee on the Budget to make the precise spending cuts set forth in this resolution to save \$285 billion over the next 5 fiscal years unless the committee determines that any such cuts would be unjustified.

1 *Resolved*, That (a) the Committee on the Budget is
2 authorized and directed to report a concurrent resolution
3 on the budget for fiscal year 1995 that includes the spend-
4 ing reductions set forth in subsection (b) over the 5-year
5 period beginning with fiscal year 1995 which would save
6 \$285 billion, unless the committee determines that any
7 such cuts would be unjustified. Any such determination
8 shall be set forth in the report accompanying that concur-

1 rent resolution, which report shall include the reasons for
2 each such determination.

3 (b) The spending reductions referred to in subsection
4 (a) are the following:

5 (1) Cancel the National Aerospace Plane
6 (NASP).

7 (2) Continue partial civilian hiring freeze at
8 DOD.

9 (3) Eliminate below-cost timber sales from na-
10 tional forests.

11 (4) Lower target prices for subsidized crops by
12 3 percent annually.

13 (5) Eliminate the Market Promotion Program.

14 (6) End the Federal Crop Insurance Program
15 and replace with standing authority for disaster as-
16 sistance.

17 (7) Limit Federal highway spending to the
18 amount brought in by motor vehicle fuel taxes.

19 (8) Repeal the Davis-Bacon Act.

20 (9) Reduce Commodity Credit Corporation sub-
21 sidies to those with off-farm incomes over \$100,000.

22 (10) Terminate most Federal commissions.

23 (11) Fully implement H.R. 2452 (102d Con-
24 gress) to provide additional energy conservation
25 measures for Federal agencies.

1 (12) Enact H.R. 1620 (103d Congress) to pro-
2 hibit direct Federal benefits and unemployment ben-
3 efits to illegal aliens.

4 (13) Eliminate the Tobacco Price-Support Pro-
5 gram.

6 (14) Consolidate the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

7 (15) Close 20 underutilized black lung offices.

8 (16) Allow private sector investment in the
9 space shuttle.

10 (17) Eliminate Farmers Home Administration
11 (FmHA) duplication with the Small Business Ad-
12 ministration (SBA).

13 (18) Eliminate the Rural Electrification Admin-
14 istration.

15 (19) Terminate all highway “demonstration
16 projects”.

17 (20) Lower the travel budgets of all nonpostal
18 civilian agencies by 15 percent.

19 (21) Lower by 10 percent per annum the pro-
20 jected growth rate of nonpostal civilian agencies’
21 overhead (excluding travel).

22 (22) Abolish Cotton Price Supports and Loan
23 Programs.

1 (23) Cut the foreign aid budget (150 account)
2 by 15 percent and make all earmarks in that ac-
3 count subject to a $\frac{2}{3}$ vote for passage.

4 (24) Phase out the Foreign Agricultural Service
5 Cooperation funding.

6 (25) Eliminate the Appalachian Regional Com-
7 mission.

8 (26) Roll back congressional pay raise to
9 \$89,500.

10 (27) Sell the national helium reserves to a joint
11 venture comprised of current employees and other
12 private investors.

13 (28) Reduce the “franking” allocation to Mem-
14 bers of Congress by 50 percent.

15 (29) Cut the National Endowment for the Arts
16 by 50 percent.

17 (30) Cut funding for the Corporation for Public
18 Broadcasting by 50 percent.

19 (31) Phase out subsidies for Amtrak.

20 (32) Phase out ACTION (umbrella organization
21 for domestic volunteer activities) as a tax supported
22 program.

23 (33) Facilitate contracting out and privatization
24 of military commissaries.

1 (34) Close the Interstate Commerce Commis-
2 sion.

3 (35) Phase out the United States Fire Adminis-
4 tration.

5 (36) End funding for all nonenergy related
6 Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) activities.

7 (37) Eliminate essential air services subsidies.

8 (38) Eliminate consumer homemaking grants.

9 (39) Privatize the House and Senate gym-
10 nasiums.

11 (40) Reduce the legislative branch appropria-
12 tion by 20 percent.

13 (41) Reduce the Executive Office of the Presi-
14 dent appropriation by 20 percent.

15 (42) Close the Bureau of Mines and merge its
16 data gathering activities with other Interior Depart-
17 ment research agencies.

18 (43) Raise the level and schedule of the Power
19 Marketing Administration's debt repayment.

20 (44) Eliminate the Clean Coal Program.

21 (45) Reduce the fill rate for the Strategic Pe-
22 troleum Reserve.

23 (46) End all new Bureau of Water Reclamation
24 water projects.

25 (47) Eliminate the Dairy Subsidy Program.

1 (48) Merge the Agricultural Research Service,
2 the Cooperative State Research Service, and the Ag-
3 ricultural Extension Service; cut funding by 50 per-
4 cent.

5 (49) Privatize the Government National Mort-
6 gage Association (Ginnie Mae).

7 (50) Eliminate the Economic Development Ad-
8 ministration.

9 (51) Eliminate nontargeted vocational State
10 funding.

11 (52) Consolidate the administrative costs of the
12 AFDC, Food Stamps, and Medicaid programs.

13 (53) Replace new public housing construction
14 with vouchers.

15 (54) Increase medicare safeguard funding by
16 \$540,000,000 over 5 years (net savings).

17 (55) Eliminate the Legal Services Corporation.

18 (56) End postal subsidies to not-for-profit orga-
19 nizations (excluding blind and handicapped individ-
20 uals).

21 (57) Eliminate HUD special-purpose grants.

22 (58) Reform vacation and overtime for the Sen-
23 ior Executive Service.

1 (59) Eliminate DOD payments for indirect re-
2 search and development; substitute direct research
3 and development.

4 (60) Reduce DOE energy technology spending.

5 (61) Scale back Rural Rental Housing Assist-
6 ance program.

7 (62) Reduce mass transit grants; eliminate op-
8 erating subsidies.

9 (63) Eliminate Rural Development Association
10 loans and guarantees.

11 (64) Eliminate “Impact Aid” to school districts
12 with military bases.

13 (65) Consolidate social services programs.

14 (66) Reduce NIH funding by 10 percent, con-
15 centrating on overhead.

16 (67) Freeze the number of rental assistance
17 commitments.

18 (68) Scale back low income home energy assist-
19 ance grants.

20 (69) Service Contract Act reform.

21 (70) Reduce overhead in federally sponsored
22 university research.

23 (71) Strengthen and restructure NASA (NPR
24 proposal).

1 (72) Eliminate redundant polar satellite pro-
2 grams.

3 (73) Streamline USDA field offices.

4 (74) Streamline HUD.

5 (75) Reform prison construction.

6 (76) Eliminate Travel, Tourism, and Export
7 Promotion Administration.

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